

To whom it May Concern:

Please do not allow cell phone use onboard commercial aircraft. It will only serve to create another problem for flight crews as well as other passengers who will be subjected to telephone conversations they do not want to hear in close proximity to them. It can potentially create difficult situations between passengers (especially when alcohol is added to the mix). Flight crews already do not get much respect and their authority onboard does not have to be further diminished by passengers ignoring them during safety demos or possible emergency situations while they are finishing up conversations on their telephones. Most importantly the usage of cell phones onboard will provide a useful tool for potential terrorists and allow them to communicate with each other on the same flight. Please exercise some common sense. Safety must be a priority over passenger convenience.

Sincerely,
Barbara Lewak
Flight Attendant